

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Reto Luginbuehl  
Serial No.: 10/561,878  
For: PROSTHETIC DEVICE FOR CARTILAGE REPAIR  
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Examiner: Melissa Ann Montano  
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Confirmation No.: 1424  
Customer No.: 27,623

Attorney Docket No.: 0002586USU/4122

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated July 20, 2011 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$0 to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	32	Minus	33	0	x \$60.00	\$
Independent Claims	1	Minus	3	0	x \$250.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$450.00 =	\$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$0.00
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY						\$N/A

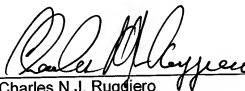
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The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0 .

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**.

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Date



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